Claims

The embodiments of the invention in which an exclusive property or privilege is claimed are defined as follows:

1. A storage device for storing articles comprising: a base layer incorporating activated carbon wherein the carbon absorbs odors of the articles stored inside the storage device.

2. A storage device according to claim 1 wherein the storage device comprises a backpack.

3. A storage device according to claim 2 wherein the base layer is air permeable.

4. A storage device according to claim 2 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme reducing the chances of visible detection of the storage device by wildlife.

5. A storage device according to claim 2 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme increasing the chances of visible detection of the storage device by humans.

6. A storage device according to claim 1 wherein the storage device comprises a fanny pack.

7. A storage device according to claim 6 wherein the base layer is air permeable.

8. A storage device according to claim 6 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme reducing the chances of visible detection of the storage device by wildlife.

9. A storage device according to claim 6 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme increasing the chances of visible detection of the storage device by humans.

10. A storage device according to claim 1 wherein the storage device comprises a duffel.

11. A storage device according to claim 10 wherein the base layer is air permeable.

12. A storage device according to claim 10 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme reducing the chances of visible detection of the storage device by wildlife.

13. A storage device according to claim 10 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme increasing the chances of visible detection of the storage device by humans.

14. A storage device according to claim 1 wherein the activated carbon is provided in the range of 5 g/m^2 to 120 g/m^2.

15. A storage device according to claim 1 wherein the activated carbon is impregnated in the base layer.

16. A storage device according to claim 1 and further comprising an outer layer mounted to the base layer.

17. A storage device according to claim 16 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and the outer layer has an outer surface, the activated carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and the outer surface.

18. A storage device according to claim 1 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and an outer surface, the activated carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and outer surface.

19. A duffel bag intended for storage of articles comprising a base layer incorporating an odor absorbing agent for absorbing odors of the articles stored in the duffle bag.

20. A duffel bag according to claim 19 wherein the odor absorbing agent is activated carbon.

21. A duffel bag according to claim 20 wherein the activated carbon is provided in the range of 5 g/m^2 to 120 g/m^2.

22. A duffel bag according to claim 20 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme reducing the chances of visible detection of the duffel bag by wildlife.

23. A duffel bag according to claim 20 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible color scheme

provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme increasing the chances of visible detection of the duffel bag by humans.

24. A duffel bag according to claim 20 wherein the activated carbon is impregnated in the base layer.

25. A duffel bag according to claim 20 and further comprising an outer layer mounted to the base layer.

26. A duffel bag according to claim 25 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and the outer layer has an outer surface, the activated carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and the outer surface.

27. A duffel bag according to claim 26 and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the camouflage color scheme reducing the chances of visible detection of the duffel bag by wildlife.

28. A duffel bag according to claim 26 and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the highly visible color scheme increasing the chances of visible detection of the duffel bag by humans.

29. A backpack intended for storage of articles comprising a base layer incorporating an odor absorbing agent provided for absorbing odors of the articles stored in the backpack.

30. A backpack according to claim 29 wherein the odor absorbing agent is activated carbon.

31. A backpack according to claim 30 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the backpack by wildlife.

32. A backpack according to claim 30 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the backpack by humans.

33. A backpack according to claim 30 wherein the activated carbon is provided in the range of 5 g/m^2 to 120 g/m^2.

34. A backpack according to claim 30 wherein the activated carbon is impregnated in the base layer.

35. A storage device according to claim 30 and further comprising an outer layer mounted to the base layer.

36. A backpack according to claim 30 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and the outer layer has an outer surface, the activated carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and the outer surface.

37. A backpack according to claim 35 and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the backpack by wildlife.

38. A backpack according to claim 35 and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the backpack by humans.

39. A fanny pack intended for storage of articles comprising a base layer incorporating an odor absorbing agent provided for absorbing odors of the articles stored in the fanny pack.

40. A fanny pack according to claim 39 wherein the odor absorbing agent is activated carbon.

41. A fanny pack according to claim 40 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the fanny pack by wildlife.

42. A fanny pack according to claim 40 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the fanny pack by humans.

43. A fanny pack according to claim 40 wherein the activated carbon is provided in the range of 5 g/m^2 to 120 g/m^2.

44. A fanny pack according to claim 40 wherein the activated carbon is impregnated in the base layer.

45. A fanny pack according to claim 40 and further comprising an outer layer mounted to the base layer.

46. A fanny pack according to claim 45 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and the outer layer has an outer surface, the activated carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and the outer surface.

47. A fanny pack according to claim 46 and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the fanny pack by wildlife.

48. A fanny pack according to claim 46 and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the fanny pack by humans.

49. An accessory storage device for storing hunting articles comprising: a base layer incorporating activated carbon wherein the carbon absorbs odors of the articles stored inside the accessory storage device thereby reducing the chance that the articles will be detected by the sense of smell of wildlife.

50. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 wherein the base layer is air permeable.

51. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the accessory storage device by wildlife.

52. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 wherein the base layer has an outer surface and further comprising a highly visible

color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the accessory storage device by humans.

53. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 wherein the activated carbon is provided in the range of 5 g/m^2 to 120 g/m^2.

54. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 wherein the activated carbon is impregnated in the base layer.

55. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 and further comprising an outer layer mounted to the base layer.

56. An accessory storage device according to claim 55 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and the outer layer has an outer surface, the activated carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and the outer surface.

57. An accessory storage device according to claim 56 and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the accessory storage device by wildlife.

58. An accessory storage device according to claim 56 and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the outer layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the accessory storage device by humans.

59. An accessory storage device according to claim 49 wherein the base layer has an inner surface and an outer surface, the activated

carbon being provided intermediate the inner surface and the outer surface.

60. An accessory storage device according to claim 59 and further comprising a camouflage color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the camouflage color scheme intended to reduce the chances of visible detection of the accessory storage device by wildlife.

61. An accessory storage device according to claim 59 and further comprising a highly visible color scheme provided on the outer surface of the base layer, the highly visible color scheme intended to increase the chances of visible detection of the accessory storage device by humans.